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Cosmetologist License Revocations

RICHMOND – The Virginia Board for Barbers and Cosmetology issued five license revocations at its most recent meeting Monday, October 22.

Following is a summary of the Board's actions. Copies of file orders are available online at www.dpor.virginia.gov under "License Lookup."

HUONG THU DUONG

WAYNESBORO, VA

File Number 2007-03013

VIOLATION – Duong obtained licensure by false or fraudulent representation.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of Cosmetologist License No. 1201101544 and \$2,500 in monetary penalties.

XUAN THUY THI TRA

FAIRFAX, VA

File Number 2007-03023

VIOLATION – Dang obtained licensure by false or fraudulent representation.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of Cosmetologist License No. 1201103307 and \$2,500 in monetary penalties.

HA SUK CHU

OAKTON

File Number 2007-03025

VIOLATION – Dang obtained licensure by false or fraudulent representation.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of Cosmetologist License No. 1201102952 and \$2,500 in monetary penalties.

VINH QUOC DANG

STERLING, VA

File Number 2007-03026

VIOLATION – Dang obtained licensure by false or fraudulent representation.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of Cosmetologist License No. 1201102943 and \$2,500 in monetary penalties.

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**TIEU LANG DANG
SPRINGFIELD, VA**

File Number 2007-03029

VIOLATION – Dang obtained licensure by false or fraudulent representation.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of Cosmetologist License No. 1201102961 and \$2,500 in monetary penalties.

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About DPOR and the Board for Barbers and Cosmetology:

The Virginia Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation (DPOR) administers and enforces laws regulating nearly 40 commercial occupations and certain professions. The agency licenses or certifies more than 300,000 individuals and businesses ranging from architects and contractors to cosmetologists and professional wrestlers.

DPOR investigates reports of regulatory violations by licensees; pursues complaints of criminal activity by unlicensed practitioners; responds to business-related consumer inquiries and requests for license checks; administers recovery funds for consumers harmed in contractor or real estate transactions; and conducts mediation services and public awareness campaigns.

The Board for Barbers and Cosmetology regulates individuals and businesses that cut and style hair; apply nails; remove hair by waxing or tweezing; apply tattoos or body-piercings; or perform shaves, manicures, and pedicures. The Board also licenses individuals who teach barbering and cosmetology, as well as schools that provide such training. The Board is composed of two licensed barbers, two licensed cosmetologists, one licensed nail technician, one licensed tattooer or body-piercer, and two citizen members.

For more information, visit DPOR online at www.dpor.virginia.gov.